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Memo Stirs Doubts On Bush Statements On Contra Supplies

By David Hoffman and Walter Pincus... WASHINGTON — A briefing memorandum prepared for Vice President George Bush last year...

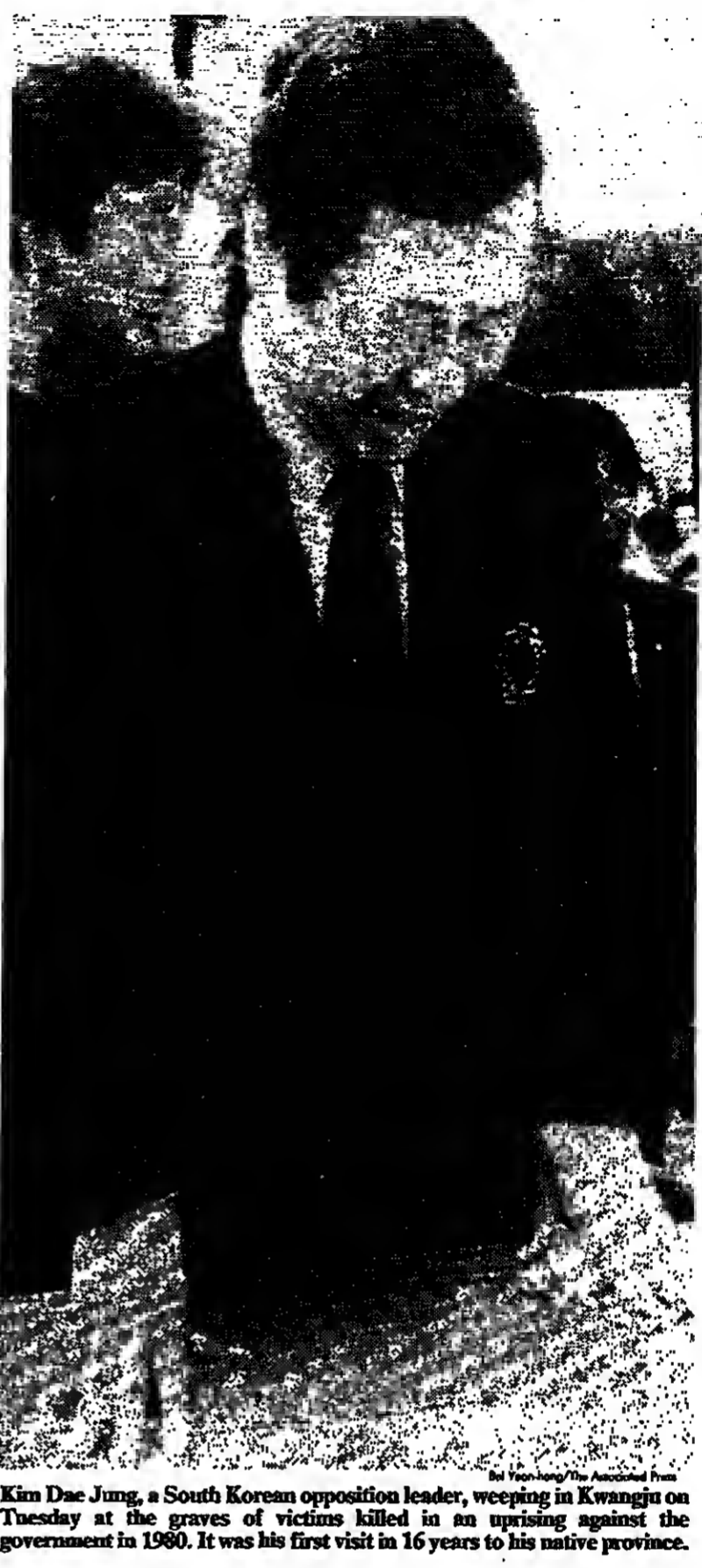


George Bush

The documents also show that a chronology published last December by the vice president's office...

The Two Kims: Only Name and Goal Are Same

By Clyde Haberman... SEOUL — They are nearly always lumped together as the two Kims, but they could not be more different...



Kim Dae Jung, a South Korean opposition leader, weeping in Kwangju on Tuesday at the graves of victims killed in an uprising against the government in 1980...

Iraq Ends 3-Day Lull In Gulf

Planes Attack 2 Targets Near Kharg Island... BAGHDAD — Iraq broke a three-day lull in attacks on Gulf shipping with an air strike Tuesday...

Argentina's Political Landscape Shifts Opposition Gains May Force Alfonsín to Reshape Policy

By Bradley Graham... BUENOS AIRES — The stunning resurgence of Peronism and the blow dealt President Raúl Alfonsín's centrist party...

Both men insist — with a trace of weariness as the question arises for the 1,000th time — that despite their ambitions they will unite behind a single candidate...

Danish Left Gains but Appears Short Of a Majority in Early Poll Results

COPENHAGEN — Denmark's socialist opposition parties made gains in Tuesday's general election but seemed to be falling short of the parliamentary majority...

China Fining Foreigners in Morals Drive

BEIJING — The U.S. Embassy here warned American citizens Tuesday that foreigners entertaining Chinese nationals of the opposite sex in their hotel rooms might be detained by police...

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Ethiopia Seeks More Food Aid

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (AP) — Ethiopia has asked donor nations and relief agencies for around a million tons of emergency food aid for next year...

American Schools Share Dollar's Travails Abroad

PARIS — Problem: What is the algebraic sum of the intersection of a declining line, as in revenue, and a rising line, as in costs? Answer: zero, as in outlook...

Panama Unrest Raises Fears for Canal's Future

Los Angeles Times Service... PANAMA CITY — The violence and strikes that have shaken Panama in the last three months have raised new concerns about the future of the Panama Canal...



A Japanese tanker heading for the Gulf on Tuesday.

PEOPLE, Angers, France, Bob Dylan... Various small text snippets and advertisements on the left margin.



AMERICAN TOPICS

Iraqi Envoy's Guide To Washington Maze

Nizar Hamdon, highly rated by fellow diplomats during his four years as Iraqi ambassador in Washington, is returning to Baghdad to become a deputy foreign minister. For The Washington Post, he summed up "one Arab ambassador's impressions about how Washington works."



Nizar Hamdon, Iraq's envoy to Washington

"When something is happening," Mr. Hamdon wrote, "you get your chance to influence public opinion. If you miss it, it's gone. That is why it is important, from the beginning, to give full access to the news media and to establish contacts with them. They shape public opinion, and public opinion is what matters most in this country."

"Don't deal with just the top officials. At the State Department, most things start with the desk officer. Unless you have his sympathy and conviction, you won't get good memos to the secretary of state on important issues."

"The same is true with Congress. Unless you have good relations with the staff, you won't get to the boss."

"Never sit back and feel secure about any issue," Mr. Hamdon warns. "Things can happen suddenly and you have to be ready."

"Get away from Washington," because in the capital, everyone has an axe to grind, "and you begin to think that America is a nation of opportunists."

But "that isn't what America is really like," Mr. Hamdon says. "Americans 'are ready to meet you halfway if they feel that you are honest.'"

Such styles as "Cecil B. De Mille Revival, Flexiclassicism, Mae West Modern and Pseudo Nouveau," Patricia Leigh Brown reports in The New York Times.

With a bow to the late pianist known as the "king of glitter," she writes that these suites "are what heaven would look like if Liberace had been a decorator."

A proposal to allow liquor sales in Wilton, Connecticut, restaurants for the first time in decades is expected to be on the Nov. 3 election ballot. Backers don't want bars or liquor stores in the town of 17,000, just liquor in restaurants so patrons don't have to bring their own in paper bags.

"We don't want it wet, we don't want it dry," said Alice Snyder, a real estate broker. "We want it damp."

When the federal government refused to pay the \$1.57 million a jury had set as the fair price for 122 acres (50 hectares) of privately-owned land in Voyageurs National Park in northern Minnesota, the owner, Vic Davis, felled dozens of trees facing a tourist center and spray-painted rocks with yellow, red and blue stripes.

Mr. Davis, 38, said of the resulting eyesore, "I'm doing this to prove my point."

He has been quietly and deliberately making some subtle changes that do not upset the apple cart but have the effect of changing the place," said Robert M. Gates, deputy director of the CIA.

Despite some urging from Capitol Hill, Mr. Webster has decided to move slowly before deciding to replace any of the officials about whom questions were raised in the congressional investigations of the Iran-contra affair. He has appointed a special counsel to review the agency's role in the affair and has said he will make no decisions until he receives the report.

New CIA Head Seeks Tighter Control Over Agency

By Stephen Engelberg New York Times Service

WASHINGTON — William H. Webster has moved to assert himself in his first three months as director of central intelligence, tightening his control over covert actions and ending a system under which some key officials bypassed their superiors and reported directly to his predecessor, according to Reagan administration officials.

Since replacing William J. Casey, who died May 6, Mr. Webster has set up a committee of senior agency officials to review proposed covert actions to make sure that all viewpoints are considered before recommendations come to him. Significantly, the panel is headed by an official outside the agency's clandestine service.

But Mr. Webster has not yet made any startling personnel changes, and CIA officials are anxiously studying his every move for clues to his style.

According to knowledgeable officials, Mr. Webster, who was formerly director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, wants to continue in his new job after the next presidential inauguration in 1989.

Mr. Webster's approach, officials said, includes a more rigorous assessment before a covert action is begun and more frequent reviews of operations in progress.

While most officials spoke favorably of Mr. Webster's first few months, he has some critics. They point out such things as the fact that he has already taken time off from work.

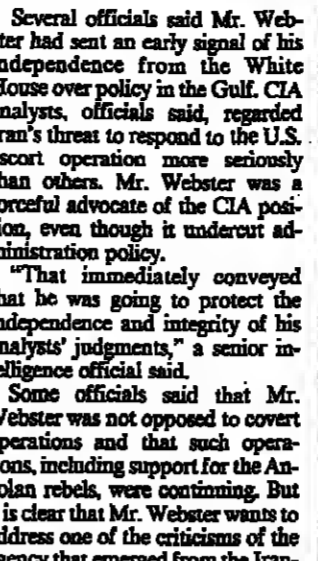
Several officials said Mr. Webster had sent an early signal of his independence from the White House over policy in the Gulf. CIA analysts, officials said, regarded Iran's threat to respond to the U.S. escort operation more seriously than others. Mr. Webster was a forceful advocate of the CIA position, even though it undercut administration policy.

"That immediately conveyed that he was going to protect the independence and integrity of his analysts' judgments," a senior intelligence official said.

Some officials said that Mr. Webster was not opposed to covert operations and that such operations, including support for the Angolan rebels, were continuing. But it is clear that Mr. Webster wants to address one of the criticisms of the agency that emerged from the Iran-contra investigations: that such actions were initiated without a thorough review of the potential adverse consequences.

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William H. Webster

Some of these officials also suggested that he was paying too much attention to the trappings of office, noting that one of his first moves was to obtain a long-range plane for the CIA that could be used for trips by its senior officials, among other things.

Bill Baker, director of public affairs for the CIA, said it had operational uses for a fast, secure aircraft. "There are very real work-

related reasons, one of which could be defector relocation, as to why such an aircraft is an important asset," he said.

As for Mr. Webster's work schedule, Mr. Baker said the director often began his day with a 7:30 breakfast and left for home late in the evening. "Whenever you get a new guy in an organization, you get a lot of tea-leaf reading," he said.

"That can lead to misimpressions." The part of the agency most deeply implicated in the Iran-contra affair was the operations directorate, supervised by Clair George.

One directorate official, Alan Fiers, acknowledged that he had remained silent while others in the administration gave congressional testimony he knew to be misleading. Two officials in Central America, the Costa Rica station chief and chief of base in Honduras, have acknowledged to CIA investigators that they initially lied to the agency's inspector general about their ties to the Nicaraguan rebels.

Under Mr. Casey, Mr. Fiers, chief of the agency's Central America task force, reported to the director, thus passing over several levels of agency managers. Now, Mr. Fiers is supervised through the normal chain of command.

Mr. Webster has said he will make no decisions about what to do with these officials until he receives recommendations from Russell B. Brummett, the special counsel he named to study the matter.

Mr. Baker, the CIA spokesman, said Mr. Webster had no intention of being pushed into premature decisions. He said that Mr. Webster had set no deadline for receiving recommendations from Brummett.

Disclosures during the Iran-contra affair about the operations division have almost guaranteed that Mr. Webster will be watching it more closely, a task that may prove difficult.

The FBI, which Mr. Webster headed for nine years, has a long history of passing decisions to the desk of the director. On the other hand, CIA directors have, according to a former senior agency official, found that to penetrate a culture where secrecy is deeply rooted, they needed to be "entrepreneurial" in finding out what was being done in their name.

Administration officials said Mr. Webster had taken a greater personal role than did Mr. Casey in examining the intricacies of CIA operations.

"He wants to know what's going on a day-to-day basis," a senior intelligence official said. "I would say he's more assertive in that regard than his predecessor."

Officials say Mr. Webster will need to steer a narrow course. On the one hand, he needs to take some decisive actions after the Iran-contra affair to win the support of the congressional intelligence committees and staff off more sweeping restrictions proposed by some lawmakers.

On the other, they said, if he moves too quickly, he risks damaging morale at an agency buffeted by both the Iran-contra investigations and some well-publicized failures in recent years.

MANAGUA — The Soviet Union has ended Nicaragua's fuel crisis by pledging to donate 100,000 more metric tons of crude oil this year.

President Daniel Ortega Saavedra announced the decision Monday after meeting with a Soviet envoy. The crisis, produced by growing demands of the civil war and an earlier cutback in Soviet commitments, could have left Nicaragua dry of oil by the end of this month, Western diplomats said.

Mr. Ortega also said he planned to be in Moscow celebrating the 70th anniversary of the Bolshevik Revolution on Nov. 7, the day the Central American peace accord is supposed to take effect.

Israeli Gave Him Message

Israeli Communist legislator said he would be the first such message from the Palestinian Liberation Organization and unprecedented "personal message" official said that he had no confirmation would be the first such message from the PLO.

in Yugoslav Scandal

The former head of a major Yugoslav newspaper, the latest development in a scandal over the arrest of Fikret Abdic, who was chief executive of Agrarbank, the state-owned company used to finance the company's internal bank, was arrested in connection with the affair.

Short Takes

A commuter airline pilot who fell through a rear door-stairway

Legislator Sees Soviet Economic Thrust

Pepper Expects Moves by Moscow to Get U.S. Trade Status

By Cynthia Guttman International Herald Tribune

PARIS — Representative Claude Pepper says he believes the Soviet Union is ready to make concessions to the United States to gain most-favored-nation trading status.

The Florida Democrat, who visited the Soviet Union earlier this month, said he saw significant potential for the Soviet Union to become a formidable economic competitor in the years ahead.

"The Soviets are more primarily concerned about improving their economy," he said. "They want a most-favored-nation trade status, and I think they are beginning to consider seriously being willing to pay for it."

He referred specifically to the possibility of a Soviet withdrawal from Afghanistan and a loosening of emigration restraints.

His comments, in an interview, were based on a three-hour discussion in Moscow with Pyotr N. Demichiev, a candidate member of the Politburo and first vice chairman of the Presidium.

"We frankly discussed human rights and the necessity of their changing their position. If they wanted to have a most-favored-nation trading status with us," Mr. Pepper said.

proving our relations, improving trade, improving their attitude towards human rights."

In the 1940s, while he was a senator, Mr. Pepper was known for his openness toward the Soviet Union and his liberal social principles. Now he is chairman of the House Rules Committee and one of the most influential members of Congress. Mr. Pepper, who turned 87 on Tuesday, said he made the trip to learn first-hand of current economic conditions and Soviet interest in expanded trade.

He met with officials in Moscow, Leningrad and Tbilisi before stopping in Paris on his way home.

The Soviets, says Mr. Pepper, "are primarily concerned with improving their economy when they talk about arms reduction. They don't want to go outside the boundaries of socialism, and they think that in the long run they will win out."

Known as a champion of the elderly for his outspoken role as chairman of the House Select Committee on Aging, Mr. Pepper plans to spend the next few months pushing an amendment through Congress to provide long-term home care for the chronically ill and supporting the Democratic presidential candidacy of Representative Richard A. Gephardt of Missouri.

The status, routinely granted to most non-Communist countries, allows goods to enter the United States at the lowest applicable tariff. For some nations, freer emigration and improved human rights policies are a condition.

The United States has long insisted that strengthened trade relations with the Soviet Union be accompanied by improved human rights policies.

Mr. Pepper said: "Maybe it would not be too presumptuous to say we made some impression on them by the persistence with which we kept hammering away at im-

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WestLB advertisement with text: "But how attractive will her pension be?" and "If Deutschmark investments are part of your pension fund strategy, you are familiar with the variety of DM instruments available. But, there are subtle differences in yields, liquidity, maturity, and depth of the market. There are yet other considerations which may require tailor-made solutions."

Lottery advertisement for "Süddeutsche Klassenlotterie" with order form and promotional text: "The 'Süddeutsche Klassenlotterie' is fully backed by the Government. Don't wait - order your tickets NOW!"

Vertical text on the far left edge: "Israeli Book Moscow Fair", "UPDATE", "Agree on Air Fair"



OPINION

The Camera May Not Blink But It Can Sure Be Blind

By A.M. Rosenthal

NEW YORK — For decades to come, American scholars will be dissecting the Iran-contra hearings that passed so important back in the late 1980s, to find out for themselves what they told about the Reagan era.

There is a chance now for scholars, historians and journalists to examine a new kind of historical document that will have an impact on what tomorrow thinks about today. It is like being in one of those time-warps movies.

The document is the videocassette of a contemporary event of historical significance, packaged for the consumer.

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market. These video documents will be as easily available as books; libraries will stock them and good video stores of the future certainly will have a history section, just as bookstores do now.

The historian or student or journalist of the near future will use them as source material, popping them into a videocassette recorder to get an on-the-spot look at yesterday. The advantage, of course, will be that the material will be firsthand, not strained through the mind of another historian or journalist.

Pick any emotional controversy of the past — imagine being able to see the faces of Captain Dreyfus and his accusers — and the importance of this kind of research document becomes vivid.

There is just one problem, and there are two video-documents of the Iran-contra hearings now on sale that illustrate it: A visual record of an event can turn out to be just as spotty, biased and misleading as any print version.

The historian will have to keep his guard as high as ever.

The cassettes now being sold deal almost entirely with Lieutenant Colonel Oliver North. One is the 90-minute "Oliver North: Memo to History," produced by MPI Home Video. Its first section whips back and forth in short "bits" of Colonel North at his most pithy, confronting his enemies. It is chopped up and does neither historical nor journalistic justice to the colonel or his congressional interrogators.

This section gives no idea of where a particularly feisty passage came during the hearings, what led up to it and what was said in response.

It makes the whole document questionable as a piece of history or journalism. Its value is only as an early example of something new and important, like the scratchy recordings of old radio news broadcasts.

The other cassette is the two-hour "Lieutenant Colonel Oliver North: His Story." This tape, produced by Turner Home Entertainment and Forum Home Video, uses film and commentary by Cable News Network, which is owned by the Turner company. For journalists it is a humbling demonstration of how an important news organization, in haste to get something out, can go wrong; well, almost humbling.

CNN generally gives complete, fast, straight news, and since it does that 24 hours a day, it is almost always being watched in newsrooms around the country. It can influence journalists' responses and decisions. That in itself gives the network importance.

On the cassette, the student of the future will first see a CNN anchorman, Bernard Shaw, standing in front of the Capitol, and hear this message:

"This man from upstairs New York, this man from the sweaty boxing ring at the Annapolis academy, this decorated blood-and-guts man from Vietnam — where bullets tore flesh and men died, this family man of love and care, this man whose mortal enemy is communism and aggression... [became] the switching point for President Reagan's determined effort to help the Nicaraguan contras, the freedom fighters, the resistance" — as North called them."

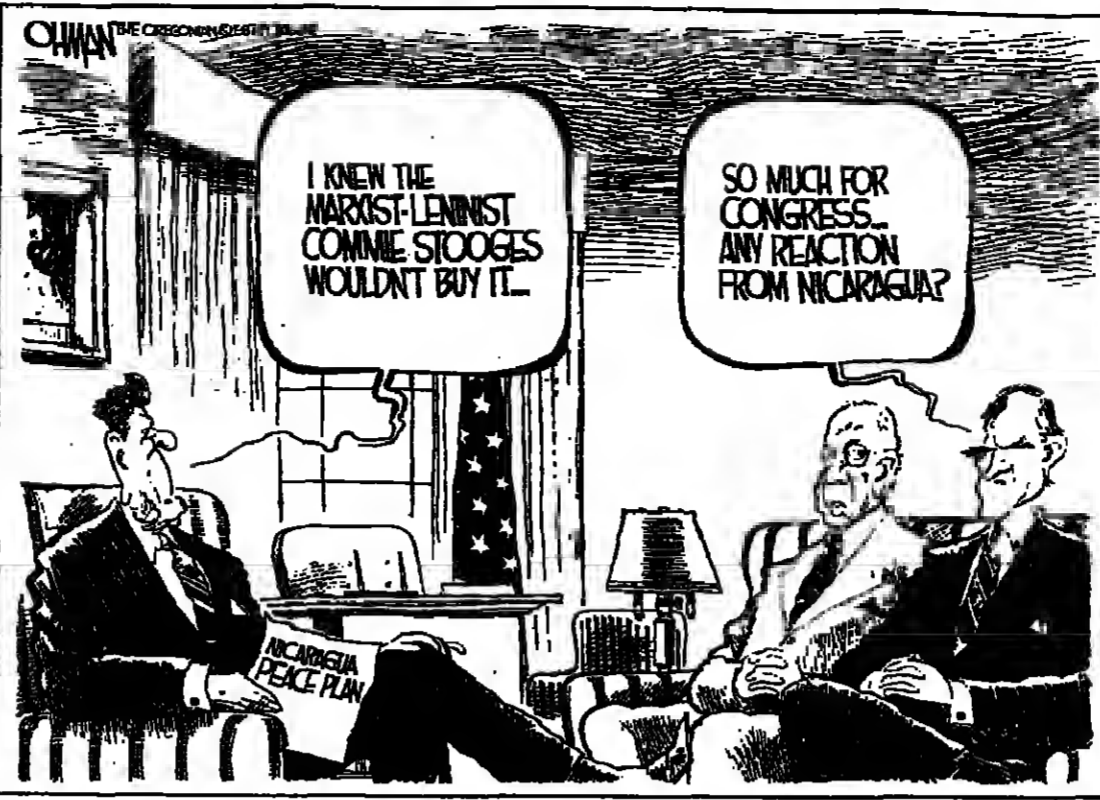
Then follows two hours of selected testimony by Colonel North that is virtually devoid of context, questioning or contradiction. In a sense, the hearings were a trial before the public and the Congress. The CNN version is not an accounting of the trial but a statement for the defense. From a defense attorney, fine; from a news network, a distortion of the historic reality.

It is an advocacy piece of work, just as some of the newspaper and magazine stories that showed Colonel North as nothing but a hypocritical trickster were advocacy pieces. On the cassette, the colonel shows intelligence, a quick mind and a lust for intellectual combat.

The problem is that since the CNN videocassette is a job of advocacy history, the viewer can never be certain just where reality lies.

The videocassette of today will be a historian's tool tomorrow. These two versions show that the videotape can be as untrustworthy as the ballpoint pen as a recorder of history. The videocassettes are reminders to journalists and historians from way back in 1987: What counts is who is doing the recording, how they are doing it, and why.

The New York Times.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A Great Leap Backward?

Regarding "Sichuan's Fertile Farms Hold a Lesson for America" (Aug. 20):

Neal R. Pearce sees today's American farmer as a peasant who has been undone financially by his specialization.

He depicts the smaller, self-contained farm of 50 years ago as a happy, pastoral version of what in reality was a dawn-to-dusk labor camp not only for the farmer, but for his wife and children as well. It still is, for that matter, but its productivity has risen to allow most farmers a decent standard of living.

Today's American farmers do not want to try to raise families on what they can earn carrying "chickens, ducks and vegetables" to market on their backs or their bicycles. Specialization has allowed farmers to enter the 20th century.

The answer to the crisis in American farming is not to share living space with farm animals or to shovel waste into biogas pits — the answer is a fair price for the world's best agricultural products.

And before anyone gets carried away by the "openness" of the Rust trial, recall how Soviet warships kept other vessels (even those carrying moomers) far from the place where the KAL flight plunged into the sea. Yet Moscow welcomed Westerners to Mr. Rust's trial, hoping their presence would lend credibility to the proceedings, and to the accusers.

EGILS ZILE, Singapore.

Liabon Has a Club, Too

Regarding "American Clubs: No Fills, Friendly" (Living Abroad, July 1):

In this otherwise excellent and informative article, I was disappointed not to see any mention of American Club activity in Portugal.

The American Club of Lisbon recently celebrated its 40th year of existence. The club organizes lunches, an annual dinner-dance (this year with President Mário Soares as our guest) and many other events. There is also an active American women's club — the American Women of Lisbon, or AWOL.

As in your headline, our approach is best described as "No Fills, Friendly."

EDWARD R.M. KANE, President, American Club of Lisbon.

On Brown and Barrymore

Regarding the obituary of Clarence Brown (Aug. 20):

It is incorrect that Lionel Barrymore won an Academy Award for his acting in Clarence Brown's production of "Ah Wilderness." Barrymore won for "A Free Soul" in 1931 (one of the many movies for which Brown received a nomination as best director).

KIM R. MOWREY, Geneva.

Not to Change the Subject, But We Must Have Lunch

By Thomas R. Trowbridge

NEW YORK — Schools will be opening soon, and as my children go back I have been giving thought to what I did and did not learn when I went through the system.

Like anyone with a liberal arts education, I have had about 15 years of English. By the time I graduated from college, I could pluck a predicate complement from a crowded page in nothing flat and could distinguish a simile

tary thought, say you are not saying it. You can say that "he's stupid" by saying, "I'm not saying he's stupid."

By the same token, if you mean to be critical or rude, say you do not mean to be: "I don't mean to be rude." When you are sure of something, you must say that you are not entirely sure of the opposite; thus, if you strongly disagree, say, "I'm not entirely sure I agree."

"Not to belabor the point" is used as an introduction when you are about to belabor a point. If the belaboring will be prolonged, then, "not to prolong the matter" is preferred. When you want to change a conversation's subject, always say "not to change the subject."

After covering the introductory phrases, students should be ready to tackle The Excess. For example, they should be taught that it is quite unnecessary to admit that they cannot or will not do something. The blame can be laid on an unidentified third party by explaining that one is "not in a position" to do whatever it is.

The same technique is useful if one has not done something one should have done. There is no need to fess up. Youth should be taught, as adults have learned, to imply that it is because of the excessive demands of others, with the versatile, "I haven't had a chance to."

It may be that modern educators are better at passing along this information than were teachers in my day. I recently heard my young daughter respond to an invitation from her younger sister to join in a game by saying, "I'd love to, but I don't want to."

The writer is a partner in a New York law firm. He contributed this column to The New York Times.

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from a metaphor 75 percent of the time. None of that instruction, however, even touched on what I most needed to learn: how grown-ups communicate with each other.

Thus, I was let loose in the world without the wherewithal to deal with the expressions adults commonly use.

Take, for example, "Let's have lunch someday." My response the first time someone said this to me — "When?" — prompted an inspection for hayseeds behind my ears and an inquiry about how I liked the big city.

How was I supposed to know that that expression means, "This conversation is over now" and no more? No one taught me that the somewhat more emphatic "We must get together for lunch" means, "I, expect to be tied up for most of the decade."

For those who innocently take these expressions literally, the consequences can be more serious than an embarrassing moment. Woe to the bright-eyed neophyte editor who takes a heavy pencil to a draft in response to an apparent invitation: "I have no pride of authorship."

Plot a short career path for the employee who puts off something until his "earliest convenience" or who, when told to "may wish to" do something, decides upon reflection that he does not at all wish to and acts accordingly.

It would be easy to work this subject matter into the curriculum. Standard introductory phrases, for example, could be taught in one brief session. The material is straightforward.

"As you will recall" is used when you believe the listener will not recall what you are about to say. The more forceful "you will remember that" is to be used when you are absolutely certain the listener has forgotten something. If you have to tell someone something he does not know, begin your sentence with "as you know."

When dealing with your own state of mind, it is important to master the negative. To express an uncomplimen-

Something Precise

THE ancient languages and their poems and plays have the singular ability to help us free ourselves from vulgarity. I do not mean "vulgarity" in the Roman sense of "common." The Greeks had a more insightful word, *apeirokalia*, meaning the lack of experience with things that are beautiful. The Puritans, Euphrates, the perfection of each Platonic dialogue, the sound of Greek sentences — all these have the power to raise us up. It is hardly the most practical argument for studying the classics. But they can give us a sense of something precise, something noble, something truly beautiful. *Salve*.

—J. Agrest, National Endowment for the Humanities, in The Washington Post.

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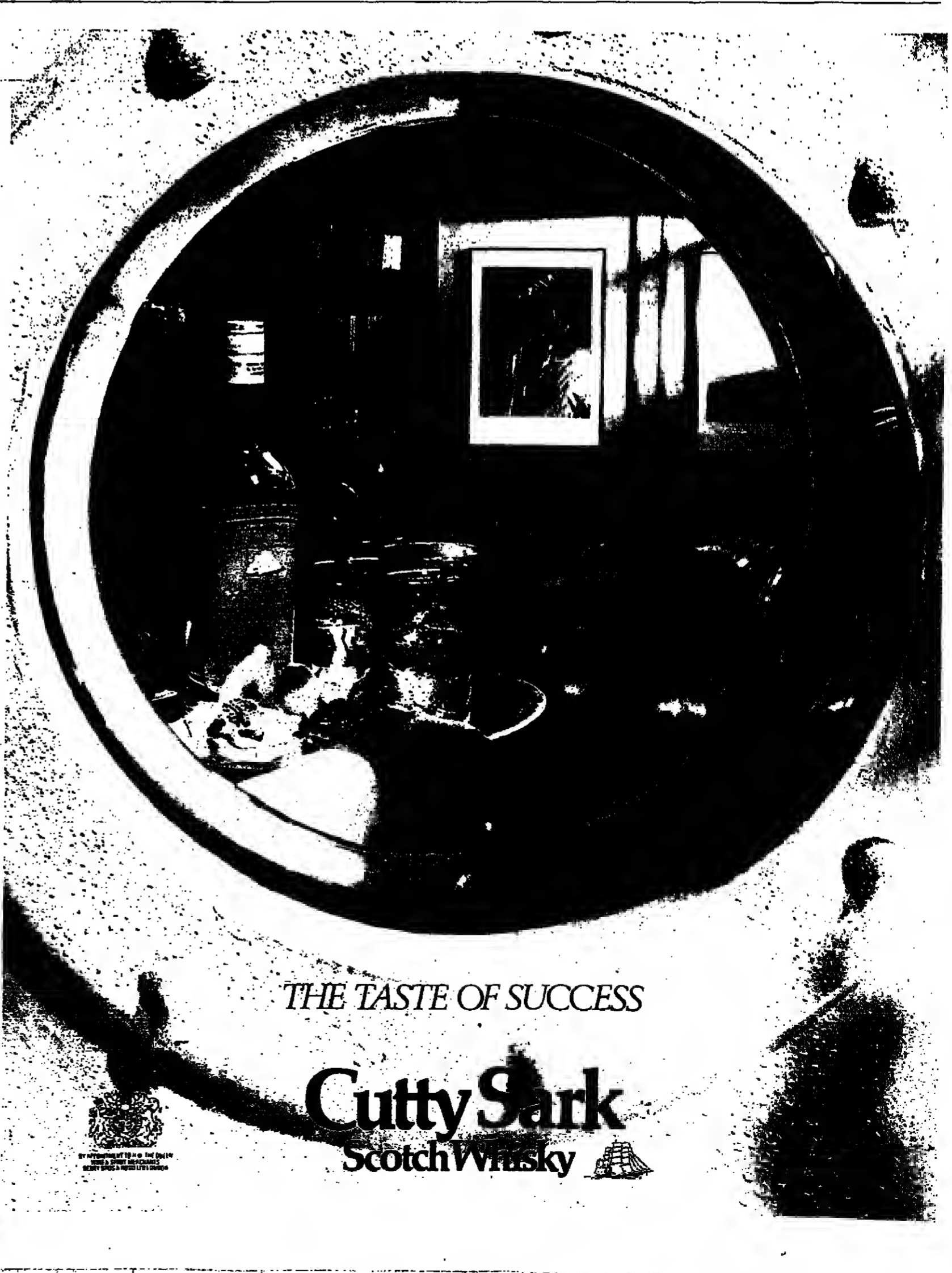
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THE TASTE OF SUCCESS

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# U.S. Aides Worry That Reagan Is Losing Control on Contras

By John M. Goshko  
*Washington Post Service*

WASHINGTON — One month after President Ronald Reagan and the Speaker of the House, Jim Wright, announced their Central American peace initiative, many administration officials say they believe events are moving so far beyond U.S. control that Mr. Reagan soon may find both Congress and U.S. allies in Central America no longer willing to support the Nicaraguan rebels.

These officials — many of them supporters of the rebels, known as contras — say developments in the last month threaten to undermine the contra cause despite repeated White House assurances that Mr. Reagan will fight for renewed congressional financing for the rebels unless the Sandinist government in Nicaragua cuts its ties to Cuba and the Soviet Union and permits pluralistic democracy.

In several interviews, political appointees and career officials in the State Department and other agencies said the administration had been losing the initiative to forces whose ideas of a regional peace agreement differs considerably from what Mr. Reagan had in mind when he joined Mr. Wright in their initiative.

Their original goal was to maneuver Nicaragua into a position in which it had to agree to the terms of the Reagan-Wright plan or face the possibility of renewed contra funding after Sept. 30. Unexpectedly, however, the U.S. move prodded Nicaragua, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Honduras and Guatemala to propose their own, and somewhat different, peace plan.

The Central American plan,

signed Aug. 7 in Guatemala City, won Mr. Wright's blessing, but the administration has viewed it more warily because of concern that it lacks guarantees that Nicaragua will be forced to take a more democratic course.

Many U.S. officials involved in working out a U.S. strategy for dealing with the situation have criticized the administration's top policy makers for paying insufficient attention to the negotiations while concentrating on reassuring the Republican right of Mr. Reagan's loyalty to the contras and trying not to alienate Mr. Wright.

As a result, the officials said, Mr. Reagan may be unable to keep his promises to the contras if the Central American plan leads to a peace accord by its Nov. 7 deadline.

The reason, these officials said, is that in the negotiations so far, the five Central American governments have shown more interest in pursuing their own national interests than in achieving an agreement that will effectively resolve tensions throughout the region.

U.S. officials say they fear that the four democracies, to win their own ends, will demand of Nicaragua only a few cosmetic, democratizing measures that can be portrayed as complying with a peace agreement sufficiently to support a demand for ending aid to the contras.

These pro-contra officials expressed concern that Mr. Wright might successfully argue that if the Central Americans reach an agreement acceptable to all of them, it would be improper for the United States to continue aiding a contra guerrilla war.

The administration has not worked out a strategy for dealing with such a possibility, the officials said. They attributed that failure in part to the fact that Mr. Reagan and most of his senior foreign-policy advisers have been out of Washington for the last month. While they have been away, the situation has been treated largely as what the State Department calls a "sixth-floor problem" — a reference to the floor on which the various assistant secretaries of state have their offices.

Even at that level, various officials say, there are deep divisions about whether the United States should try harder to influence the deliberations of the Central Americans or whether it should put its main effort into seeking new contra aid when the current funding expires Sept. 30.

■ **Reagan Reassures Contras**

Mr. Reagan, vowing "we will not abandon our friends," said Tuesday that the contras would be able to count on support from the United States if the Central American peace agreement signed a month ago fails to produce democracy.

"We will not accept a mere semblance of democracy," Mr. Reagan said in a speech. He acknowledged that "in recent weeks the issue in Central America seems at times to have become confused: who is proposing what, how many votes are there on Capitol Hill for this or that?"

"But the real issue has never changed," Mr. Reagan said. "The real issue is peace and democracy in Central America and the national security of the United States."



Anna Osejo, who fled Nicaragua, carrying a sign reading "Sandinistas Blew Off My Right Foot With a Hand Grenade," in a New Orleans march to raise money for wounded contras.

# U.S. Congress Returns To a Mountain of Work On Contentious Issues

By Linda Greenhouse  
*New York Times Service*

WASHINGTON — With nearly all of the year's most difficult legislative problems unresolved, Congress returns from its monthlong summer recess Wednesday to what is shaping up as a long and chaotic fall or even winter session.

Deep differences over taxes, trade policy, arms control and Central America must be addressed, some urgently, in an atmosphere already highly charged by the approach of the 1988 elections.

Even these contentious issues could be overshadowed by the battle in the Senate, which may evolve into a filibuster, over the confirmation of Judge Robert H. Bork to the Supreme Court.

Congressional leaders who once planned to conclude this year's session by mid-October now say that even Thanksgiving may be an optimistic target.

"If it were up to the House alone, we could conclude by mid-October," said Representative Jim Wright of Texas, the House speaker. "But there is no realistic hope that we will do that, given the deliberate efforts by some in the Senate to keep the trains from moving on time."

The speaker's reference was to the Senate's Republicans, who have been able to turn the body's intricate rules to their advantage in preventing action on such matters as a Defense Department bill containing arms control provisions; a major campaign financing bill; and ambassadorial nominations.

Robert C. Byrd of West Virginia, the Senate majority leader, warned in August that he might delay consideration of the Bork nomination until Republicans "come to their senses" and permit the Senate to move through its legislative agenda.

At stake in the increasingly bitter partisan standoff is not so much the fate of individual bills but the image that each party will be able to present to the voters in 1988.

Here are some of the major items on the congressional calendar for the remaining months of the session:

- The Senate Judiciary Committee begins hearings on Judge Bork's nomination next Tuesday. Senator Joseph R. Biden Jr., a Delaware Democrat who is the committee's chairman, has promised to report the nomination to the Senate floor by early October.
- Its fate there depends on how Mr. Bork emerges from the hear-

ings: as the mainstream conservative depicted by the White House, in which case conservative Democrats and moderate Republicans would probably vote for him, or as the extreme rightist that Mr. Biden and other opponents of the nomination say they believe him to be.

• The most urgent business before Congress is adopting a federal budget for the fiscal year that begins Oct. 1. The House has passed 9 of the 13 appropriations bills that make up the \$1 trillion budget; the Senate has passed none. President Ronald Reagan has threatened to veto several of the bills.

Many difficult budgetary decisions must be made in the next few weeks. The new budget, essentially a Democratic product, calls for \$19.3 billion in tax increases, which have yet to be specified and which the president has said he will not accept. A compromise on the pace and means of reducing the deficit over the next few years eluded congressional negotiators on the eve of the recess.

• The conference committee to resolve the differences between the versions of the trade bill passed by the House and the Senate began meeting just before the recess. The differences are substantial, with the president threatening to veto both versions.

• The sudden start of Central American peace talks early last month took both the administration and its congressional critics by surprise. The situation is fluid and confusing.

The peace plan calls for a ceasefire by Nov. 7, but with the current congressional authority for military aid to the Nicaraguan rebels expiring in three weeks, and a president who has vowed not to abandon the contras, the late-summer truce on Capitol Hill may be short-lived.

The administration may ask Congress for new military aid for the contras that would be placed in escrow to await the outcome of the peace process. But Representative Wright predicted that such a request would be rejected.

"A majority in Congress would probably see new military aid as counterproductive, talking peace but planning for war," he said.

• A Soviet-American agreement on intermediate-range nuclear arms could further scramble the remaining months of the session, with both Democrats and conservative Republicans warning that Senate ratification would be anything but automatic.

# Thanks to Yanks, Europe Tourism Improves — Except in France

*The Associated Press*

PARIS — Despite the weak dollar, the number of American visitors in Western Europe rose this summer, giving a lift to hotels and restaurants on most of the Continent and contributing to what appears to be the British tourism industry's best year ever.

From Athens to Oslo, countries are reporting improved tourism over last year, when the Chernobyl nuclear accident and fears of terrorism cast a cloud over the European summer, costing nations millions of dollars in revenue.

France, however, reported more tourists but less income.

"We saw fewer very rich Americans and more less-rich ones," notably youth, Jean-Jacques Descamps, secretary of state for tourism, said last week. He said that France, which started a "Welcome" campaign

this year to soften its unfriendly image, had an "average" summer.

In Britain, the news was bright.

"We are well on target for a full-year result which will make 1987 the best year ever in the history of British tourism," said Duncan Black, chairman of the British Tourist Authority.

Britain had 6.8 million overseas visitors in the first six months of 1987, 16 percent more than in the first half of 1986, Mr. Black said at a news conference last week.

The number of North American tourists was up 60 percent this year, he said.

The United States is Britain's biggest single tourist source, and Americans' money represents about one-quarter of all spending by foreign tourists.

Mr. Black said Britain now ranked fifth in international tourism earnings, behind the United States, Italy, Spain and France.

Spanish officials, however, expect a record \$15 billion in tourism revenue this year, moving Spain past the United States as the top earner worldwide.

Spain took in more than \$6 billion in the first six months of 1987, an increase of almost 40 percent from the first half last year.

In Italy, tourism is expected to increase this year by about 20 percent over 1986, with the number of American travelers more than doubling, the Italian National Tourism Office reports.

Americans returned to Greece after shunning it in 1986, when a 70-percent drop in U.S. visitors and a \$300 million drop in revenue were recorded. This year there have been 15 percent more Americans, said Panayiotis Martakis of the Greek National Tourism Organization.

His office estimates a 25-percent increase in tourism overall this year compared with 1986.

France, duly noting the "better performance" of Spain and Italy, predicts slight progress this year over last, but a decrease of 2.8 billion francs (\$466 million) in spending by foreign tourists.

Not only did American visitors not reach the "exceptional level" of 1985, Mr. Descamps said, but Americans "automatically spent less than before."

In addition, visa requirements proved "discouraging" for some tourists, he said.

The Swiss Tourism Office reported a surge of Americans this summer and a 7-percent increase over the 10-year average for the first 6 months.

In the colder climates, tourism was also on the rise. It increased an estimated 11 percent in Sweden this year and about 7 percent in Norway, with the Japanese the most avid visitors.

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BUSH:  
Memo Stirs Doubts

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Hours are fighting the S&P government of Nicaragua.

Mr. Bush has said he never knew Mr. Rodriguez was engaged in the contra war until the Reagan administration began asking him about it in August.

Mr. Rodriguez initially said he had no contact with Mr. Rodriguez until the contra war.

Mr. Bush said Mr. Bush was giving the briefing paper but does not remember the contra reference.

Mr. Bush has frequently said in the past that he told the truth in his relationship with Mr. Rodriguez. Publicly and privately, the congressman has angrily attacked those who have questioned his honesty.

The Iran-contra panel made public depositions from Mr. Bush's deputy, Colonel Watson, and their secretary, Phyllis M. Lane.

The briefing paper prepared for Mr. Bush was typed by Miss Byrne on April 30, 1986. Under the heading "Purpose," it said, "Felix Rodriguez, a counterintelligence expert who is providing a briefing on the status of the war in El Salvador to a supply of the contras."

Miss Byrne testified that she received this information from Colonel Watson. But Colonel Watson said "I do not recall giving her the document concerning the contras."

Mr. Gregg testified that he did not see Miss Byrne about the contras and "I just can't account for it."

In depositions, Colonel Watson as well as Mr. Gregg said they could not recall the language in the memorandum. Colonel Watson said he was "almost positive" the subject of the contras never came up in the session May 1 with Mr. Bush and Mr. Gregg was even less emphatic.

There was no intention to disclose the contras resupply," Mr. Gregg testified. "I was not involved in the May meeting."

Mr. Hart, Mr. Bush's acting press secretary, said the depositions by Mr. Gregg and Colonel Watson did nothing to change Mr. Bush's version of events.



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Congress Returns Mountain of Work Tentative Issues

With nearly 100 days of session left, the Senate and House are returning to Washington with a mountain of work. Tentative issues for the session include...

Prisons Calm In Belgium After Anger At U.K. Fans

BRUSSELS — All 530 prisoners were accounted for Tuesday, one day after inmates at Saint Gilles Prison in Brussels staged a riot lasting five hours, the Justice Ministry said.



Brussels police help evacuate wounded inmates from Saint Gilles Prison after the riots.

A spokesman denied reports that 13 prisoners remained at large, the second rebellion in a Brussels prison in as many days. The riots at Saint Gilles and Forest prisons were in protest over alleged preferential treatment Belgium will grant to 26 Liverpool soccer fans who will soon be extradited on manslaughter charges stemming from the 1985 Heysel Stadium riots.

DEFEAT: In Argentina, the Political Landscape Shifts

(Continued from Page 1) Alfonsín has said that a moratorium would hurt the economy. The Peronist victory was all the more astonishing given the unpopularity and disarray into which the working class-based movement had slumped in recent years.

KOREA: Alike in Name and Goal

(Continued from Page 1) ed. The military distrusts him too much, they argue, and would intervene to block him. The rivalry has presented a quandary to the broad coalition of religious, labor, teacher and student groups that form the organized opposition.

CHINA: Foreigners Are Fined

(Continued from Page 1) A diplomat said police had questioned foreigners for as long as six hours, and in some cases overnight. Usually the foreigners have been required to sign a statement saying they regret having committed a wrong, the diplomat said.

Yugoslavs Link Vandalism to Killings

BELGRADE — Windows of at least seven shops owned by people of Albanian descent were smashed overnight, apparently in retaliation for the killing of four soldiers by an ethnic Albanian last week, Radio Belgrade reported Tuesday.

CANAL: Unrest Raises Concerns

(Continued from Page 1) reaffirmed U.S. treaty obligations. It also has endorsed the opposition movement's call for free elections and civilian control of the National Defense Forces, the nation's only military and police organization.

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BUSH: Memo Stirs Doubts

(Continued from Page 1) The contras are fighting the Sandinist government of Nicaragua. Mr. Bush has said he never knew Mr. Rodriguez was engaged in helping the contras until the Iran-contras scandal began unraveling last fall, and Mr. Gregg has said he did not learn of what Mr. Rodriguez was doing until Mr. Rodriguez told him about it on Aug. 8, 1986.

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# Vietnamese Press Tries Its Hand at Some 'Real Reporting'

By Barbara Crosscette  
New York Times Service  
HO CHI MINH CITY, Vietnam — "In the information world, there can be no sacred cows." The editor of a Vietnamese Communist Party newspaper was speaking. The editor, Tuat Viet of Saigon Giai Phong, is one of a small but influential corps of journalists who say they are changing the way the press thinks and works in Vietnam.

"There has been a struggle between two points of view — to serve the masses or to serve the mandarins," he said in an interview at the paper's offices.

"Being a government tool, just printing declarations, is always the easier way," he said. "We wanted to add commentary, criticism, real reporting to this."

Corruption in the national airline, local party officials, slothful bureaucrats, inadequately educated doctors, men who avoid military service by marrying officers' daughters, these are only a few of the targets that are attracting the attention of writers and cartoonists.

"Where are the 300-liters of fuel?" asks a headline in The Youth Paper, the most daring of the new journalistic breed, in a report on bureaucratic theft.

Another article, "Good News for Drunks," notes that the price of almost everything except beer is rising.

A cartoon in the same paper shows peasants confronting a luxury house newly built in rice fields near Hanoi's international airport. The house, like many others, belongs to a pilot who is enriching himself on smuggled foreign goods.

The accompanying article reveals details of how Vietnam Airline's former personnel chief used the carrier's overworked planes to ferry construction materials and laborers from south to north, to build himself a villa of princely proportions.

In the process, the official, Ngo Duc Thuong, managed to steal or otherwise procure the following: 14,000 pounds (about 6,300 kilograms) of cement, 2,500 pounds of iron and steel, six cubic yards (4.5 cubic meters) of stone, 102,800 bricks, and a good deal of fancy hardware, the newspaper said.

The Youth Paper, published in Ho Chi Minh City, also produces two newspaper magazines: Youth on Sunday and The Laughter of Youth. All are sellouts, news agents say.

But the editors of Saigon Giai Phong believe that they were the

first to question the economic policies being forced on what was formerly South Vietnam after Hanoi's victory in 1975.

"There was time when even news of accidents or robberies was suppressed," Mr. Viet said. "This was not reflecting reality."

"Party leaders did not want criticism," he added. "They were afraid of public opinion. Leaders feared that to open the door would invite an attack on the whole system."

No journalist has been reported censored or punished yet in the

outspoken campaign for party and government overhaul, which so far has not questioned the fundamentals of Marxism. But some editors have been challenged.

Among them is General Tran Cong Man, editor in chief of the Vietnamese Army newspaper, Quan Doi Nhan Dan. The paper has been on a sustained crusade against general inadequacies of government as well as specific cases of corruption and abuse inside and outside the military.

Analysts who follow events in the Vietnamese Army from Austria

and the United States say that the motive for the paper's campaign may be the army's need to win for itself an influential place in peacetime, when its demands compete with those of other interest groups.

The paper says in its editorials that the army cannot be effective in present economic conditions, because soldiers are undernourished, inadequately fed, and skimpily supplied.

General Man said that from time to time party officials go over his head to try to stop articles from appearing. He said reporters are being told to verify reports of malfeasance very carefully, so that there will be no missteps.

At The Youth Paper, the deputy editor, Huynh Son Phuoc, 37, says there are four lawyers on call to check articles for potential legal problems.

Vietnam's liveliest papers say that it is only a shortage of newsprint that keeps them from increasing size and production runs. Mr. Viet at Saigon Giai Phong — where some journalists from the old South Vietnamese regime are employed — said that his market research indicated the present circulation of 90,000 could easily be more than doubled to 200,000.

The paper losing out these days, readers and journalists say, is Nhan Dan, the Communist Party daily. Under a new editor, Ha Dang, it seems to be slipping back from the bolder days of an editor named Hong Ha. Mr. Ha is now a high-ranking official in the Ministry of Information.

A recent editorial reviewing human rights in the United States announced that "blacklisted" 34 million of its own people as security risks, and that "the rights of minority groups and the foreign born, especially those of Asian origin, are brutally suppressed." Several Vietnamese with relatives living happily in the United States shrugged when asked about the veracity of this. "No one reads that paper any more," one said.



PHILIPPINE HIGHWAY CUT BY REBELS — Communist guerrillas dynamited this bridge 150 miles southeast of Manila, stopping traffic on the pan-Philippine highway. The bridge spans the Bicol River in southern Luzon.

## In Manila, Looking for Coup Blame

By Keith B. Richburg  
Washington Post Service

MANILA — Almost two weeks after the unsuccessful military coup, the government of President Corason C. Aquino appears beset by disarray, with political and military leaders engaged in an unusual round of recrimination.

The vice president and foreign secretary, Salvador E. Laurel, spent the weekend touring military bases and getting rousing applause by asking the soldiers in rally-style meetings, "Should President Aquino change members of the cabinet?" and "Should the president remove the communists in government?"

Meanwhile, congressional leaders have stepped up their calls for the resignations of Mrs. Aquino's two top aides, her executive secretary, Joker P. Arroyo, and her special counsel, Teodoro Locsin.

Critics say the two aides tried to undermine the military leadership during the crucial early hours of the coup on Aug. 23, and they have renewed their accusation that Mr. Arroyo is a communist sympathizer.

Mr. Arroyo appeared before the House of Representatives on Tuesday to defend himself against accusations that he is anti-military and a communist. In the process he lashed out at his critics, even as he insisted that this was the time for government officials to "close ranks."

Mr. Arroyo defended his earlier characterization of Colonel Hones-to-Ialeta, the armed forces spokesman, as "a Goebbels propagandist," saying, "A Goebbels is one who tells a lie. He called me a communist, and I'm not a communist."

Mr. Arroyo also suggested that Mr. Laurel was overstepping his authority during his trips to the military camps on a mission to test the sentiments of the troops.

"That the vice president was asked to go to the various military camps, yes," he said. "That he was authorized or asked to ferment dissent, no."

The picture that has emerged in the days following the failed coup has been one of a government searching about to cast blame.

Military officials have accused Mrs. Aquino, and particularly her two aides, of ignoring military grievances and allowing widespread dissent to spread within the armed forces.

Presidential aides, on the other hand, have said that the coup attempt called into question the loyalty of large segments of the military.

The result is that far from celebrating the defeat of the fifth and most serious coup attempt, the government has once again been reduced to the kind of internal bickering that characterized the early months of 1986.

"We failed a coup, so we should rejoice," Mr. Arroyo said. "But after every coup — like this particular coup — someone must be blamed. So we have become the culprits."

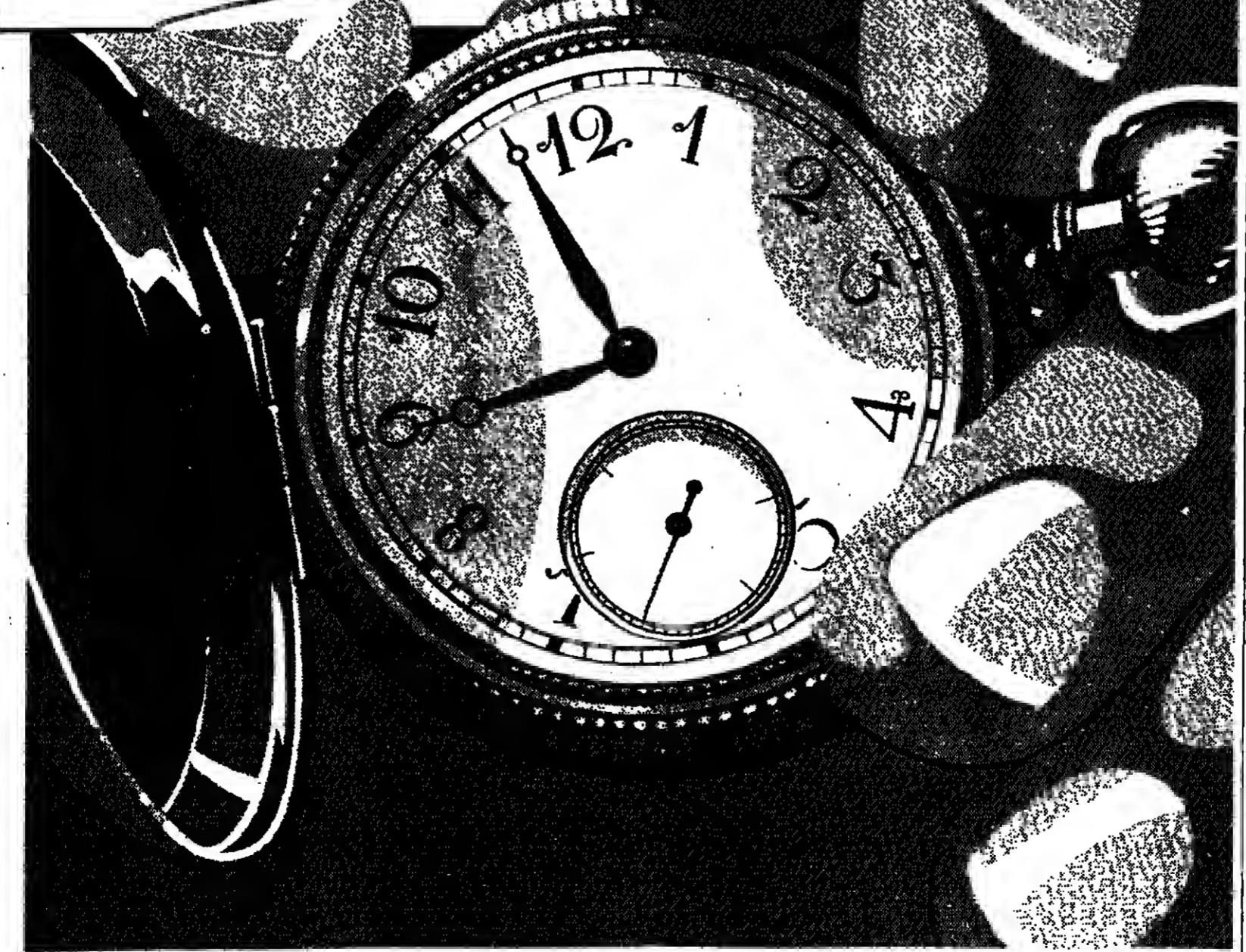
Mr. Arroyo, like the armed forces chief of staff, General Fidel V. Ramos, has long been a favorite target of critics who see the Aquino government as unnecessarily antagonistic toward the military.

After every unsuccessful coup attempt, the calls increase for Mrs. Aquino to remove both General Ramos and Mr. Arroyo, but both have managed to survive.

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Stephen Bill's 'Curtains': High Promise

By Sheridan Morley
International Herald Tribune
LONDON — At Hampstead, Stephen Bill's "Curtains" marks the London debut of a writer of considerable promise.

lessly and aimlessly around territory already better charted by Sartre and Coward, without ever fixing its own place on the triangular sexual map.

"Oh! Calcutta!" and "The Fantasies" have achieved similar tenure. After a while, maybe 10 years or so, such productions rise above normal box-office laws and become tourist landmarks like the Tower of London or Madame Tussaud's.

That I may just have come across another of them. Suffering as I do a deep-seated terror of dancing ous, I have managed to avoid "Nunsense" in New York, Sydney, Toronto, Boston, Detroit, Washington, Chicago and Philadelphia.

Hoopy Blackman, who also served time in the last London revival of "The Sound of Music" and must soon be eligible for some sort of Vatican absolution, leads (as the mother superior) a cast all of whom wear the clenched grins of actresses who have narrowly missed the bus-and-truck tour of "Springtime for Hitler."



Ralph Nossek and Stella Moray in Stephen Bill's "Curtains" in London.

THE LONDON STAGE

faceted with problems of corpse disposal, death certificates and furniture squabbling, and it is here that the author's full loathing of local relative values comes to the footlights. His central figure is, in the end, not the daughter who does the killing (Bridget Turner), nor either of the two other daughters (Gillian Hanna and Sheila Ballantine).

Beyond that, he seems to have remarkably little interest even in his own characters' backgrounds or what got them together in the first place, or indeed why they choose to spend the whole night in a small, hot Montmartre bedroom when it might be more eventful to step outside and watch the traffic lights changing in the square.

Turgid debates about feminine rights, generation gaps, creative disintegration and marital infidelity make you think that instead of a theater studio you have accidentally wandered into a television studio where they are taping one of those interminable panel discussions that now go out around 3 in the morning.

John Whitney Payson (right) with John L. Marion, chairman of Sotheby's North America and van Gogh's "Irisess."

philanthropist and owner of the New York Mets, will remain on loan to Westbrook College in Portland, Maine.

Sell or Donate? U.S. Tax Laws May Curb Art Gifts

By Rita Reif
New York Times Service

NEW YORK — The announcement last Wednesday by a philanthropist and art dealer that he would sell Vincent van Gogh's "Irisess," rather than donate the painting to the small Maine college it has been on loan to for the last decade, is the first public evidence that the current art boom and changes in the U.S. federal tax law may result in a curtailment in gifts to museums this year.

The decision by the philanthropist, John Whitney Payson, to consign to auction van Gogh's 1889 landscape was made, he said, after "the recent and unprecedented spiral in art prices" and the reduced benefit to donors under the 1986 Tax Reform Act necessitated a reevaluation of his art holdings.

Soaring values for artworks — especially van Gogh paintings — have increased insurance and security costs, he added. Two van Gogh paintings were auctioned this year at Christie's in London for extraordinary prices — "Sunflowers" brought £24.75 million (\$39.9 million) in March and "Bridges of Trianon," £12.6 million (\$20.2 million) in June.

That may sound a tiny bit greedy to cite as a reason for selling. Most museum officials declined to comment or said they were not certain whether there would be cutbacks in art gifts because of the reduced tax incentives.

Philanthropist and owner of the New York Mets, will remain on loan to Westbrook College in Portland, Maine. Soaring values for artworks — especially van Gogh paintings — have increased insurance and security costs, he added.

saving on gifts of 21 percent, because he is in what is called the alternative minimum tax position, according to his attorney, Patrick Daniel Martin of Nixon Hargrave Devons & Doyle. Taxpayers who pay an alternative minimum tax compute their taxes in two ways; under the prevailing rates and under the provisions of the alternative minimum tax.

This is a marvelous performance at the heart of a bleak look at the non-communicating English suburban family in extremis ("What do you mean she has passed away? I just bought her a Mackeson") which manages to consider a whole way of life through the sudden ending of it, and my guess is that Stuart Burge's wonderfully modulated production will move on to a long West End run.

Certain shows exist primarily to prove the irrelevance of dramatic criticism. "The Mousetrap" is one such. "No Sex Please — We're British," which has just closed at the Duchess after 17 unfortunally years, was another. Off-Broadway,

The jury is still out because it is too early to know for sure," said a prominent art lawyer, Eugene Vogel, a partner in Rosenman & Collins, a firm specializing in the art field. "But I would certainly expect

to see a reduction in gifts, both cash and property. Why? It is simple: We have a lower tax rate." Payson cited other concerns for

"I made the decision to sell the flagstaff of the collection because this painting had become too valuable to loan to other institutions," he said. The 27 other artworks were inherited with the van Gogh in 1975 from his mother, Joan Whitney Payson, art collector,

Tax rates today, Vogel said, are in sharp contrast to a decade ago when art gifts represented a 70 percent tax benefit. "Some people even made money on charitable donations then," he said. "The rates dropped to 50 percent and now to 38. Any gift you will make next year when the top tax rate drops to 28 percent, the United States government will contribute 28 percent of the value."

an art dealer, Richard L. Feigen, said the current tax rates are probably only temporary. "Nobody expects that these rates will stay the way they are beyond the end of this administration," he said. In his view, the decision to sell now seems motivated by the current boom in art sales. "The point is that this is such a massive amount of money and Payson is one of the minority of people who own a van Gogh and he may feel the bubble will burst."

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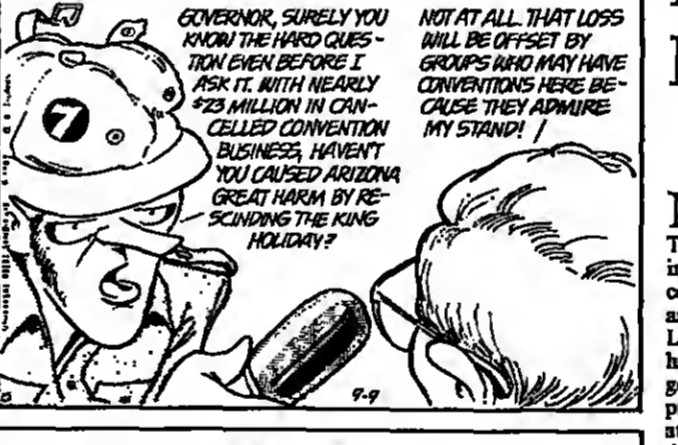
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New Man on Broadway Backs Resident Theater

By Jeremy Gerard
New York Times Service
NEW YORK — Two days into his tenure as head of Jujamcyn Theaters, Rocco Landesman sank into a couch, crossed one maroon cowboy-booted foot over the other and took a deep breath.

Jujamcyn is owned by Minneapolis businessman, James H. Binger, and his wife, Virginia, and named for their children, Judy, James and Cynthia. The company comprises five theaters: the largest, with 1,600 seats, is the St. James; the Eugene O'Neill, the Martin Beck and the Virginia range from 1,100 to 1,280 seats.

Currency Rates

Table showing currency exchange rates for various countries like Australia, Belgium, Denmark, etc.

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Table showing interest rates for different terms like 3-month, 6-month, 1-year.

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NYSE Posts Widespread Losses

United Press International NEW YORK — Prices on the New York Stock Exchange posted widespread losses Tuesday as rising interest rates spurred nervous investors to look in some of the huge profits produced by the bull market. But prices finished well above the day's lowest levels.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which fell 77.97 last week and 70.15 the week before, dropped 16.26 to 2,545.12. Earlier in the session, the Dow was down about 62 points. The blue-chip barometer has fallen 177 points since reaching a high of 2,722.42 on Aug. 25. Declines swamped advances by a 13-2 ratio.

NYSE Most Active Stocks table with columns for stock symbol, volume, high, low, and change.

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Chopard GENÈVE advertisement featuring an image of a watch and text: 'Gstaad - the latest sports watch created by Chopard. A unique combination of centennial tradition and contemporary design.'

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FIDELITY WORLD FUND advertisement with text: 'Notice of Annual General Meeting' and details about the fund's performance and meeting.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND advertisement with text: 'Année de mise en paiement d'un dividende' and details about the fund's dividend.

LVMH MOÛT HENNESSY, LOUIS VUITTON advertisement with text: 'SHAREHOLDERS APPROVE MERGER' and details about the merger of Moët Hennessy and Louis Vuitton.

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Dutch Man Admits He Smuggled Arms to Ab...

Tuesday's NYSE Closing

Tables include the nationwide prices up to the closing on Wall Street and do not reflect late trades elsewhere.

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Brown Boveri Sets Terms BADEN, Switzerland - BBC Brown Boveri & Cie AG detailed Tuesday its planned capital increase, saying it would offer stockholders one new share or participation certificate for every five held, at attractive terms. The increase was announced on August 10 as part of the company's planned merger with Sweden's ASEA AB.

Asia Pacific Growth Fund Weekly net asset value on 4-9-1987 U.S. \$2.11 Listed on the Amsterdam Stock Exchange

Information: Pierson, Holding & Pierson NV, Piersonstraat 21, 1016 BS Amsterdam.

Advertisement for General Dynamics Space Systems Division, featuring the text 'We have space available.' and 'General Dynamics is building 18 new Atlas/Centaur launch vehicles. And while customers have already booked reservations for launches beginning in 1989, there are still openings.'

Tuesday's NYSE Closing

Table listing NYSE closing prices for various stocks, including IBM, AT&T, and others.

Table listing international stock prices for various countries and companies, including UK, France, Germany, and Japan.

U.S. Futures

Table listing U.S. futures prices for commodities like wheat, corn, soybeans, and metals.

Food

Table listing food futures prices for items like coffee, sugar, and orange juice.

Metals

Table listing metal futures prices for copper, aluminum, and zinc.

INTERNATIONAL FUNDS (Quotations Supplied by Funds Listed) 8th Sept. 1987

Large table listing international fund prices and performance data for various investment vehicles.

Currency Options

Table listing currency option prices for various international currencies.

Financial

Table listing financial market data including interest rates and bond yields.

Stock Indexes

Table listing major stock index values and changes, such as the Dow Jones and Nikkei.

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Paris Commodities

Table listing Paris commodity prices for various goods.

London Commodities

Table listing London commodity prices for various goods.

Dividends

Table listing dividend payments for various companies.

DM Futures Options

Table listing DM futures option prices.

U.S. Treasuries

Table listing U.S. Treasury bond prices and yields.

Spot Commodities

Table listing spot commodity prices for various raw materials.

London Metals

Table listing London metal prices for various metals.

S&P 100 Index Options

Table listing S&P 100 index option prices.



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BUSINESS ROUNDUP

BaE Profit Fell 11% in Half

By Warren Geiler
International Herald Tribune
LONDON — British Aerospace PLC said Tuesday that pretax profit in the first half fell 11 percent to \$71 million (\$118 million) from \$80 million a year earlier...

dollar to \$1.61 on June 30 from \$1.48 in January hurt the civil aircraft division's profitability. It reduced both the company's ability to sell planes at competitive prices and the return on existing fixed-price dollar contracts.

break-even result," said Robert Pringle, aerospace analyst with Hoare Govett, the London brokers. "But as a result of adverse exchange-rate developments, the group envisages a significant loss on that Airbus participation and has decided to take a write-off now."

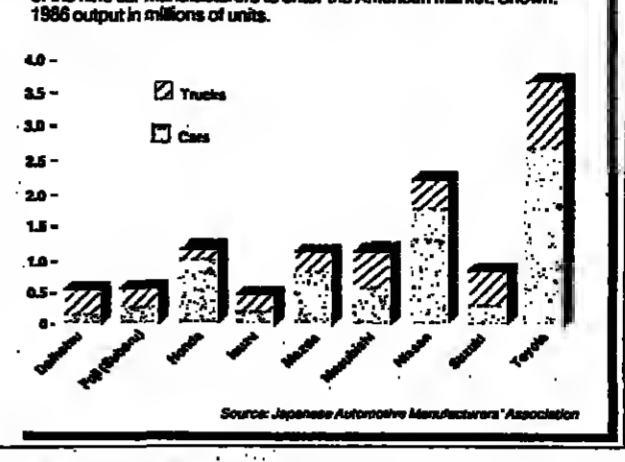
Daihatsu Seeks Niche In Crowded U.S. Market Carmaker Cites Strategic Necessity

By John Hohusha
New York Times Service
LOS ALAMITOS, California — "What is a Daihatsu Charade?" said C.R. Brown, repeating a question put to him. "We say it is the name of your next new car."



C.R. Brown, executive vice president of Daihatsu America Inc., with the Charade, a four-passenger subcompact.

Production of Japan's Car Makers



Daihatsu, which makes three times as many trucks as cars, is the last of the nine car manufacturers to enter the American market. Show: 1986 output in millions of units.

Pickens Begins Offer For Newmont

United Press International
DALLAS — Ivanhoe Partners, a group led by T. Boone Pickens, began Tuesday a \$95-a-share cash tender offer for Newmont Mining Corp., strengthening its own earlier \$5.68 billion bid for the New York gold, coal and energy company.

New Chairman Seen at Bank Leu

The Associated Press
ZURICH — Kurt Schiltknecht, former director of the Swiss National Bank, was announced Tuesday as the prospective new chairman at Bank Leu, a Swiss bank hit by the scandal involving British brewer Guinness PLC.

Hill Samuel Fires 2 Directors For Trying to Sell a Division

New York Times Service
LONDON — Hill Samuel Group PLC, the British merchant bank, said Tuesday it had dismissed two senior executives for holding unauthorized negotiations for the sale of a key part of its operations.

SCHOOLS: Weak Dollar Means Troubled Times at American Academies in Europe

(Continued from Page 1)
Brussels, enrollment has fallen from 1,160 students two years ago to 900 this year.

abroad is, naturally, heavy as a result. Mr. Moriarty, echoing the estimates of administrators of other American schools in Europe, said that Americans now account for only about half of enrollment at the Paris school, compared with 70 to 80 percent seven years ago.

school was particularly hard hit last year when oil prices tumbled and many of the families of oil company executives returned to the United States.

spending on extracurricular activities, asked parents to foot more of the bills, and in some cases, reduced staff through layoffs or attrition.

Schaible said. "It was becoming more and more clear that the American School is not the only game in town."

In Memoriam
ANDREW K. MARCKWALD
Former Director and President
of
Discount Corporation of New York
on
August 31, 1987

Caesars Offers to Buy Back Up to \$400 Million in Stock

By William Glaberson
New York Times Service
NEW YORK — In a new twist to one of the year's longest-running takeover battles, Caesars World Inc. began a tender offer for nearly a-third of its shares Tuesday that could cost it up to \$400 million.

fighting to defeat a sweetened \$35-a-share offer by Mr. Sosnoff. Last month, the New Jersey Casino Control Commission rejected the recapitalization, saying it was an "imprudent, risky" strategy.

BTR to Acquire Stewart-Warner

International Herald Tribune
LONDON — BTR PLC, a British industrial holding company, said Tuesday it had agreed to acquire Stewart-Warner Corp., a U.S.-based manufacturing conglomerate, for about \$220 million.

International Business Opportunities
How you can turn exchange rate movements into profits

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Cartier advertisement for Pearl Tipped Luxury Slim Cigarettes, featuring a pack of cigarettes and the Cartier Vendôme logo.

'Our Century/Our World' advertisement for the IHT Centennial Magazine, featuring a list of writers and their topics, including Flora Lewis, Arthur Schlesinger, and Michael Ledeen.

Financial market news and analysis, including 'Dollar Lower D' and 'U.S. Fed Un'.

OTC Prices section listing various over-the-counter stock prices.



CURRENCY MARKETS

Dollar Lower Despite Intervention

NEW YORK — The dollar edged lower in New York on Tuesday compared with Friday's levels after trading narrowly mixed in Europe, despite another round of concerted central bank support.

The U.S. markets were closed Monday for the Labor Day holiday. "It was a real thin market, almost like a holiday," said Earl Johnson of Harris Trust and Savings Bank in Chicago. "Friday is the whole balmage this week," he added, referring to the scheduled release Friday of the report on the U.S. merchandise trade balance in July.

London Dollar Rates

Table with columns: Currency, Rate, and other financial data.

In New York, the dollar closed lower at 1.7950 Deutsche marks, down slightly from 1.7970 on Friday, at 141.60 yen, after 142, at 1.4860 Swiss francs from 1.4885 and at 6.0015 French francs after 6.0115.

The British pound also gained against the U.S. currency, to \$1.6605 from \$1.6525. The main trading feature was the unified intervention by European central banks to support the dollar at around 1.7905 DM in early European trading, dealers said.

The intervention prompted immediate short-covering that sent the dollar up to 1.7960 DM. The Federal Reserve was not detected in the open market, but the fear of intervention proved to be as

effective as intervention itself, dealers said. Several analysts said they doubted whether the banks would resist any more heavy selling pressure. They said that Tuesday's intervention had been relatively light, aimed more at smoothing the dollar's descent rather than reversing the trend.

In London, the dollar closed at 1.7920 Deutsche marks, unchanged from Monday but up from an opening of 1.7900, its lowest traded level against the mark since early June.

The U.S. currency ended at 141.65 yen, down from 141.80, its lowest change against the British pound, which ended at \$1.66. The pound was trading in the dollar's shadow. It ended at 73.2, one basis point lower on its trade-weighted index against a basket of currencies.

Earlier in Europe, the dollar was fixed in Frankfurt at 1.7930 DM, down from 1.7955 DM at Monday's close, and in Paris at 6.0005 French francs, up from 5.9950. It was fixed in Zurich at 1.4857 Swiss francs, up from 1.4850.

Central Banks Back Technical EMS Changes

BASEL, Switzerland — European Community central bank government has agreed to significant technical changes in the European Monetary System to avoid the acrimony that marked the last realignment of currencies, the governor of the Bank of Italy said Tuesday.

Carlo Ciampi said that the officials unanimously agreed on the changes, but he refused to provide details. He said that the accord covered the EMS's exchange rate mechanism only and did not address multicurrency intervention, a major point of contention between France and West Germany. But he said that topic would be considered later.

The report was commissioned after France and West Germany criticized each other's tactics during a realignment of the eight EMS currencies in January.

SHENZHEN: A Hong Kong 'Colony' Grows as Firms Shift Output to China

(Continued from first finance page) of our production is being moved to China. As far as toys go, without China you're not competitive at all.

Applied Electronics has nearly 5,000 employees in China, compared with just 280 in Hong Kong. Although the Chinese workers are not as proficient as those in Hong Kong, the lower labor costs make the shift worthwhile. The company pays assembly line workers in China the equivalent of \$77 a month, compared with \$333 a month in Hong Kong.

"They already are at 80 percent of Hong Kong's efficiency," Mr. Hung said. "But I expect they will catch up." He said that turnover "in employees is 0.5 percent per year, compared with about 20 percent in Hong Kong."

Yet Hong Kong managers certainly do not find manufacturing in China trouble-free. Like their U.S., Japanese, and European counterparts, they complain about China's bureaucracy, poor infrastructure, and inattention to quality.

"It's very frustrating to be a manager here," said Eddy K.W. Yip, a manager in China for Hong Kong-based Luk's Industrial Co., a one-third owner of an enormous television factory in Shenzhen. "Workers are very sloppy here, and there is no tradition of a work ethic in China. In Hong Kong, if you don't work, you're out the door."

Its facility in Shenzhen, which employs 1,100 Chinese workers under 22 Hong Kong managers, doubled production in May and plans further increases so it can manufacture 500,000 televisions a year in 1988.

Shenzhen's labor costs are rising as more Hong Kong companies open factories in the region, but workers are also streaming into the area from other parts of China. Critics point out that Shenzhen has attracted less investment than planners had hoped. But the workers' enthusiasm and the Communist Party's increasing flexibility in employment matters reflect China's drift toward free markets.

Hong Kong companies are more profitable and successful than other companies in dealing with China for several reasons, analysts say. Among the most important:

• They have less at risk because frequently they do not invest their own capital. They simply place or

• Their managers speak the local dialect, know the customs, and can often bargain more effectively with officials.

• "We know the tricks," said Vincent H.C. Cheng, chief economist of Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp. "We know how to get around

to make the labor force as flexible as possible. The executives are always on hand, ready to reject goods that are not quite right.

"You really have to do your own supervision," said David C.W. Yeh, managing director of Universal Matchbox Ltd., a Hong Kong toy manufacturer. "If you let them do it, you end up with disaster."

The problem seems to be that some Chinese workers are unaccustomed to the standards that foreign markets demand and see no reason not to sell a shirt just because one sleeve is shorter than the other.

In addition, although workers in China are prepared to stay on the job for many hours, there is little tradition of working hard. Even at the most successful factories in Shenzhen, employees on an assembly line pause to chat, leaving those down the line with nothing to do.

Yet Hong Kong managers say they are succeeding in accelerating production. They test workers' speed before hiring them, and sometimes pay by the piece instead of by the hour. Increasingly, they are acquiring the right to fire those who steal or perform poorly.

The workers come from all over China to work in Guangdong province, lured by wages two or three times higher than they could get anywhere else.

Overall, the Wisegroup investors say, the cost of production at its knitwear factory in Shenzhen is about 75 percent below that of production in Hong Kong.

As companies in China become more efficient and quality-conscious, they might be able to bypass Hong Kong managers, some executives say. Already some companies in China export directly and handle their own design and marketing. But their efforts usually are not as successful.

"It may take 5 or 10 years for China to establish its own reputation," said Thomas M.H. Chan, a specialist on business in China at Hong Kong University, "so for that time period at least, it must depend on Hong Kong."

Move by U.S. Fed Unlikely to Change Bonn's Credit Policy

FRANKFURT — The half-point increase in the U.S. Federal Reserve's discount rate last week has increased pressure for similar Bundesbank action to curb West German inflation, money market analysts said Tuesday.

However, concern about a dollar collapse and a sluggish economy should ensure that the Bundesbank, West Germany's central bank, does not alter its credit policy at its regular council meeting on Thursday.

The official discount and Lombard rates should thus be left at 3 and 5 percent respectively, and the key short-term call money rate is likely to hold in a range of 3.6 to 3.9 percent.

"The Bundesbank is in a dilemma," said Dieter Wemth, head of portfolio management and research at Manufacturers Hanover

Trust Co. in Frankfurt. "In some ways, it should be tightening policy. In others, it should be easing. It will probably just leave credit policy where it is."

Although the growth in German money supply has shown signs of tapering off and increases in consumer prices are subdued, they remain a source of concern for the anti-inflation hardliners within the Bundesbank.

The central bank's money stock grew at an annualized rate of 7.3 percent in July, down from June's 7.95 percent but well above the Bundesbank's 1987 target range of 3 to 6 percent.

David Marr, European economist at S.G. Warburg Securities in London, said, "The Bundesbank still feels it has to regain control of money supply although it does not

necessarily want to bring it down to within target."

August consumer prices fell 0.1 percent from July but were 0.8 percent higher than in July 1986.

Helmut Schlesinger, vice president of the Bundesbank, said last week that consumer prices would show a 1.5 to 2 percent increase over last year by the end of 1987.

"That is a little more than we would wish for," he said, "but it is a result which could almost be called stability."

While it might be tempting to judge interest rates higher and halt inflation pressures, analysts warned that such tactics could backfire as they did in January when the Bundesbank ended up lowering its discount rate to 3 percent.

INCENTIVES: Buying Results

(Continued from first finance page) Importers. The agency, in fact, already does business with four other domestic importers: Prestige and Carling J. brandies, Lambey wine and Contreau liqueur.

Fallon McElhigott, Minneapolis, has won the Porsche Cars of North America account. It was chosen over Lord Geller Federico Einstein, and Goody, Berlin & Silverstein. The budget is about \$14 million.

ChiatDay forfeited the account in July when it decided to join the competition for the \$150 million business of U.S. Nissan Motor Corp. U.S.A.

Tuesday's OTC Prices NASDAQ prices as of 4 p.m. New York time. Via The Associated Press

Large table of OTC stock prices with columns for stock name, price, and change.

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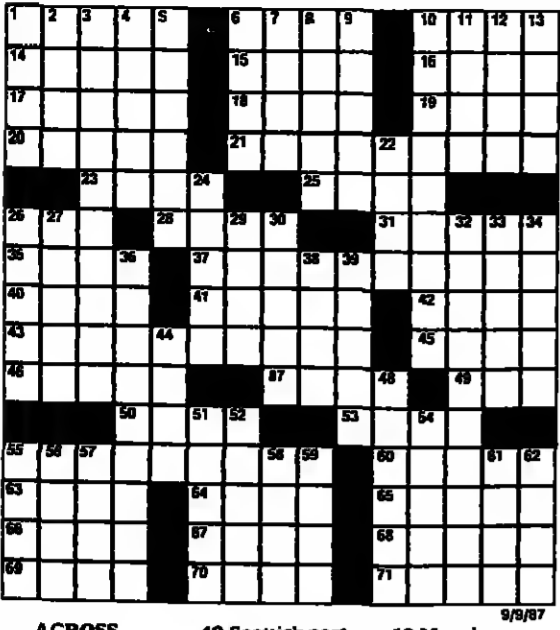
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Anthony Florio, Mary Ann, Michael Ledeen, Olivier Todd, Jim Hoagland, Gloria Steinem, writers in Lennal Magazine number 16th.



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Boy! There's nothing in that ol' art gallery prettier than that!

JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME by Henri Arnold and Bob Lee. Includes a grid of letters and instructions to unscramble words.

WEATHER section with tables for EUROPE, ASIA, LATIN AMERICA, NORTH AMERICA, MIDDLE EAST, OCEANIA, and ZONE.

WEDNESDAY'S FORECAST - CHANNEL: Smooth. #RANKING: Puffy. Cloudy. Overcast. 12-18 (70-80). LONDON: Fine. Temp. 12-18 (54-64).



World Stock Markets table listing closing prices in local currencies for various cities including Amsterdam, London, Frankfurt, Zurich, and Tokyo.

BOOKS

WHATEVER HAPPENED TO GLOOMY GUS OF THE CHICAGO BEARS? By Robert Coover. 154 pages. \$16.95. Linden Press-Simon & Schuster, 1230 Avenue of the Americas, New York, N. Y. 10020.

Reviewed by Michiko Kakutani. "The Public Burning," published in 1977, Robert Coover introduced a fictional character named Richard Nixon...

More than anything, Gus wants to succeed at playing football and seducing women, but he finds himself incapable of making progress without hours and hours of drill.

For a while, all this practice pays off. For one season Gus is "the greatest halfback in football" and a world-class gigolo.

Solution to Previous Puzzle. A crossword puzzle grid with the solution words filled in.

BRIDGE

By Alan Truscott. South could oow have chased the club jack to disentangle that suit, but he had no assurance that he could reach the dummy.

Italy's GDP Up Annual 2.2% But Growth Is Slacking

ROME — Italy said Tuesday that its gross domestic product rose 2.2 percent in the second quarter from the comparable 1986 period.

Simon School Professors Criticize Fuji Expulsion

BOSTON — Professors at the University of Rochester's business school have written a letter condemning administrators for revoking the admission of a Japanese photo company executive.

Markets Closed

Canadian stock markets were closed Monday for a holiday.

Soccer's D...

Another match on the horizon for the Danish national team.

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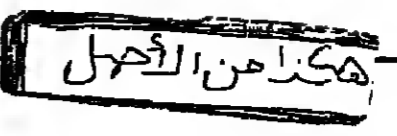
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SPORTS

Soccer's Devil of a Time

International Herald Tribune LONDON — The devil has folded of soccer's timing. On Wednesday, England plays West Germany in Dusseldorf. The same day, 26 Englishmen may be extradited to stand trial in Belgium for the mass fighting that caused such loss of life at Heysel Stadium in Brussels over two years ago.



"thought the English were at it again." The hooligans were French, proving that pretenses can put the boot in as ruinously as the real thing.

We must hope that Wednesday's sport grabs the headlines. West Germany and England may not top the artistic league, yet few teams are more competitive, more demanding on nerve and sinew — more combative, if I dare use the word.

Wales has no such luck. Its slender chance to qualify for the European championship rests on beating Denmark in Cardiff on Wednesday. It has failed to persuade Juventus to allow Ian Rush to play.

Rush claims he is perfectly fit. Juventus disagrees, and UEFA rules that the verdict of the Juventus doctor is final. Quite right too, but it will be interesting to see if Rush falls to make Juventus's league opener this Sunday.

Welsh suspicions are compounded because the other Juventus goal-scorer, Michael Lardrup, plays for Denmark against Wales despite a recent injury. The Danes need his cutting edge. Not for a year has Denmark reproduced its thrilling World Cup form, and Preben Elkjaer, the most explosive of forwards on his day, comments: "We have looked like a bunch of little lost boys who couldn't find one way to school."

Denmark's Preben Elkjaer "like a bunch of little lost boys" the mob of things when he said: "Just as we not only do not, but appear to be done."

Another thousand fans will mock British government advice to stay home and watch the match on telly. They're headed instead for planes and ferries. Newspapers have reported boisterous from people threatening "actions."

One 19-year-old Chelsea fan has organized a cut-rate excursion to Dusseldorf. Our democracy is such that we have known for two weeks about Gawan Best's jinx, and have no power to stop him. Bests hired a 53-seat bus and offered a three-day package for under £50 (\$83). This, he insists, is supposed to be a free country. My bookings are from insurance brokers, people with pretty good accounts.

The "friendly" outing to Dusseldorf represents the major test, since Heysel, of the viability of English soccer on the continent. Crowd trouble would jeopardize English participation in next year's European championship finals in West Germany, and smash any return of English clubs to Europe.

The so-called Heysel 26 are prosecuted, although extradition itself suggests the British government has prejudged them. So have Italian lawyers, who jumped the gun in July when persuading a magistrate to order police to trace Juventus fans injured at the riot in order to sue the 26 — identified from video tapes — for damages.

We are entering an unprecedented legal maze. It is hard to foresee an impartial trial in Belgium, where the defendants are widely called "the hooligans." How can it be just that 26 out of hundreds who contributed to 39 deaths should be tried? How dare UEFA, criminally negligent, in sending such a crowd to such an unsafe stadium, now sit in judgment on whether the English are fit for Europe's playground?

Post-Heysel, UEFA has ingeniously permitted England's national team, now on trial in Dusseldorf, to escape the ban on her clubs. Yet hooliganism had all but invariably accompanied England trips for a decade. Club-related violence was sporadic until the Liverpool-Juventus European Cup final in Brussels. The 26 have been imprisoned on remand in London. Their hearing may not begin until the end of the year, when two Belgian police chiefs and the Belgian FA secretary will also be in the dock, accused of mismanagement of crowd control and ticket distribution.

Heaven help us if just one of the 26, or the police scapegoats, are found not guilty after their freedom and the lives of their families have been destroyed. It is necessary to repeat that I have no compassion for anyone who knowingly contributes to death in a sports stadium, and in this context I regret being Bioglyph. But a dreadful odor of revenge wafts in the admonition of one Belgian government official: "Don't talk to us of scapegoats. We know who the victims are and where they are."

Alas, Justice Minister Jean Gol perhaps unwittingly touched

Rain Thwarts Quarterfinal Play in U.S. Tennis Open

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches NEW YORK — Heavy rain halted play in the U.S. Open tennis championships here Tuesday.

The other women's quarterfinals are to pit third-seeded Chris Evert against No. 11 Lori McNeil, a 7-6 (7-0), 3-6, 7-6 (8-6) winner over No. 7 Zina Garrison on Monday; top-seeded Steffi Graf against No. 5 Pam Shriver; and second-seeded Martina Navratilova against No. 8 Gabriela Sabatini.

Monday was the day the women's tournament turned serious. Kohde-Kilsch and line calls combined to upset Hana Mandlikova. Evert, the six-time champion, labored just short of two hours before turning back Mammela Macleane, 7-5, 6-4.

Gilbert Stuns Becker; Connors Gains

By John Feinstein Washington Post Service NEW YORK — It all seemed so simple. The dream quarterfinal matchups that everyone had hoped for were about to become reality.

Ivan Lendl had won in straight sets and so had John McEnroe. That was matchup No. 1. Jimmy Connors, hobbling on a bad foot, had outfoxed Henri Leconte in four sets. All that was left was for Boris Becker to finish off Brad Gilbert Monday night to create matchup No. 2: Becker vs. Connors.

"It hurt whenever I moved. But this is the U.S. Open, and it only comes once a year. I'm 35, and I don't know how many more years I'll play here. I would have played to day on a peg leg."

Becker was up two sets and a service break, leading by 3-1. "I was having an easy time out there," Becker said. Then he served two double faults and all of a sudden it all turned around.

In what seemed like an instant, Gilbert became the aggressor, hitting winners; Becker was a teenager who looked out of place in the fourth round of the U.S. Open. By the time it was over, Gilbert had ended Becker's grand slam season with a shocking 2-6, 6-7 (7-4), 7-6 (7-4), 7-5, 6-1 victory.

Reflected Becker: "Everyone will say, 'What a bad year, what a bad year.' It was, but I wasn't. One good thing is that I'm 19 and not 32. I'll be back." But not this week. Instead, Gilbert goes on to play Connors — who isn't 32 either.

"It was just a very difficult year for me," Becker said. "After Günther (Becker) left me," following the Australian Open in January, "people kept waiting for things to go wrong because I did not have him coaching me anymore.... I guess the pressure just got to me."

Monday night, Gilbert got to him. Beck's got back to 3-2, Gilbert was 6-2 up. "The one break really got me back in it," he said. "Once I won the third-set breaker, I really felt like I was on a roll. Then the fans got behind me and that really pumped me up."

Toronto slugger George Bell sustained a broken nose when he was hit by a first-inning pitch from Milwaukee's Bill Wegman.



Brad Gilbert: Pumped up.

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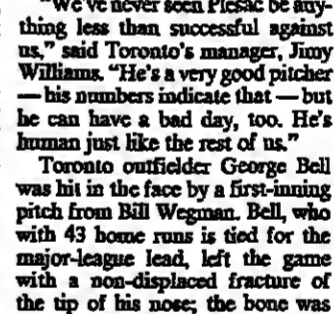
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Charitable Brewers Help Blue Jays Maintain Lead

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches MILWAUKEE — The streaking Toronto Blue Jays maintained their lead in the American League East, thanks to the generosity of the Milwaukee Brewers.

The problem was defense, simple as that. The Brewers' offense was mired in a slump, but their defense was a different story.

BASEBALL ROUNDUP Treblehorn, Milwaukee's manager, after the Blue Jays' 5-3 victory Monday. "We were both very lucky."



George Bell: Toronto slugger.

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The Blue Jays erased a 3-2 deficit with their outburst off Plesac, who leads the Brewers with 23 saves. Toronto also scored an unearned run in the seventh on two errors.

Plesac walked Nelson Lirio to open the eighth. Garth Rho's double moved Lirio to third. Lou Thornton ran for Rho and Tony Fernandez singled to right, scoring Lirio for a 3-3 tie. Plesac's 1-0 pitch to Juan Beniquez chased catcher Bill Schroeder, allowing Thornton to score. Fernandez went to third on another wild pitch and scored on a sacrifice fly by Beniquez.

"We've never seen Plesac be anything less than successful against us," said Toronto's manager, Jimmy Williams. "He's a very good pitcher — his numbers indicate that — but he can have a bad day, too. He's human just like the rest of us."

Toronto outfielder George Bell was hit in the face by a first-inning pitch from Bill Wegman. Bell, who had 43 home runs in tied for the major-league lead, left the game with a non-displaced fracture of the tip of his nose; the bone was cracked, but was not moved out of shape.

Figures 12, Orioles 4: In Baltimore, Alan Trammell, who also had two singles, hit a three-run homer that keyed a five-run first that started Detroit's rout of the Orioles.

Royals 5, Angels 2: In Anaheim, California, Frank White hit a three-run home run and Danny Tartabull added a home-run.

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Tennis U.S. Open Results

Table containing Tennis U.S. Open Results, including Men's, Women's, and CFL Standings.

White, McAllister Lead Michigan State Past USC, 27-13 Lorenzo White (above) carried 22 times for 111 yards and two touchdowns, and Bobby McAllister completed 10 of 15 passes for 103 yards to help Michigan State down Southern California, 27-13, in the season opener for both Monday night in East Lansing, Michigan. USC, which had a 17-game winning streak against the Big Ten, committed four fumbles and had three passes picked off.

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What the Big Boys Do

By Russell Baker

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The Extractor, the Collector and Beckett

By Carlton Lake

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